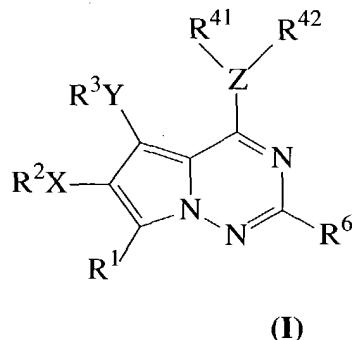


**NOVEL INHIBITORS OF KINASES****Abstract**

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The present invention provides compounds of formula I,



10 and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

The formula I compounds inhibit the tyrosine kinase activity of growth factor receptors such as VEGFR-2 and FGFR-1, thereby making them useful as anti-cancer agents. The formula I compounds are also useful for the treatment of other diseases associated with signal transduction pathways operating through growth factor  
15 receptors.